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## IN VACATION.

### A Novel Letter-Head.

JAS. KNOX SMITH,

National Jail Robber

I delight in defending the accused and those whom I believe to be innocent, when my fees are secured. JAMES KNOX SMITH.

**Should Be Run In.**—When charged with being drunk and disorderly, and asked what he had to say for himself, the prisoner gazed pensively at the magistrate, smoothed down a remnant of gray hair, and said:

"Your Honor, man's inhumanity to man makes countless thousands mourn. I'm not as debased as Swift, as profligate as Byron, as dissipated as Poe, as debauched a—"

"That will do!" thundered the magistrate. "Ten days! And, officer, take a list of those names and run 'em in. They're as bad a lot as he is!"—London Mail.

**Getting Even.**—"In this will you really insist upon being buried at sea?" "Yes. You see my wife says that when I'm dead she's going to dance on my grave."

**His Audience with Him.**—Nobody was more witty or more bitter than Lord Ellenborough. A young lawyer, trembling with fear, rose to make his first speech, and began: "My lord, my unfortunate client— My lord, my unfortunate client— My lord—"

"Go on, sir; go on!" said Lord Ellenborough "as far as you have proceeded hitherto the court is entirely with you."—Life.

**Coroner's Verdict.**—The following verdict was rendered in Calhoun county, Illinois:

"Kurners Verdict—We, the jurys, find the deceased dead man kum to his deth from the hans of some unbeknown purson, with an unlauful iron weeping—named a ax with a hickory handel; which unlauful weeping wos used with deadly inant to kill the killed Ded Man.

"P. S. We, the forsed and undercigned jurys, hopefully believe that the Ded Man was beheaded by the Sed Ax."—Green Bag.